

**BILATERAL ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY  
AND  
WILKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**THIS ARTICULATION AGREEMENT** is made and entered into by and between **NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY**, a public university located in Greensboro, North Carolina (hereinafter “N.C. A&T”) and **WILKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE**, a North Carolina Community College System Institution (hereinafter “WCC”). N.C. A&T and WCC hereby join in a collaborative effort to facilitate the transfer of students graduating from WCC with an Associate in Applied Science in Horticulture Technology into the Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education (Secondary Education) Program at N.C. A&T and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. **Admissions Requirements** - The parties agree that a graduate of WCC with an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Horticulture Technology with at least a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 based on a 4.0 scale will be admitted to N.C. A&T provided all other admissions conditions are satisfied. In order to be considered for admissions in accordance with this Articulation Agreement, WCC students must submit an official transcript that indicates AAS Degree completion.
2. **Transfer Requirements** - N.C. A&T agrees to accept transfer coursework completed at WCC as equivalent on a course-by-course basis. All WCC transfer students may receive up to a maximum of sixty-four (64) semester hours of academic credit for approved courses completed (*see page 3*) with a grade of “C” or better earned.
3. **Faculty** - WCC courses approved for transfer credit must be taught by faculty who meet the community college credential requirements.
4. **Student Class Status**- WCC transfer student class status will be based on the total number of transfer hours.
5. **Associate Degree Completion** - Parties at WCC and N.C. A&T shall encourage AAS Degree completion at WCC prior to transferring. To be eligible for inclusion in this Articulation Agreement, WCC students must complete the AAS Degree. WCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. In addition, WCC students who transfer prior to completing all AAS Degree requirements must meet the N.C. A&T transfer admission requirements.
6. **Promotion** - Parties at WCC and N.C. A&T shall support and promote this Articulation Agreement on campus through marketing, recruiting, and websites.
7. **Accreditation** - WCC and N.C. A&T will ensure that they maintain accreditation with the appropriate regional accrediting agency and ensure that all operations will be in keeping with accreditation requirements of the two institutions.

8. **Official Designees for Articulation Agreement Administration** - The following representatives will jointly administer this Articulation Agreement and will be responsible for the evaluation and assessment of this Articulation Agreement between N.C. A&T and WCC.

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9. **Agreement Review, Change, and Termination** - This Articulation Agreement shall be reviewed at least once every three years, by the designated officials at both institutions and is subject to change by mutual written consent. Either party may revoke this agreement by written notice to the other party, giving at least one year's notice of intent to discontinue the agreement. However, it is understood and agreed that any student admitted to N.C. A&T under this Articulation Agreement will be allowed to complete the program notwithstanding the termination provision above, so long as such student is in good standing and is making progress toward degree completion. This Articulation Agreement is effective beginning the fall semester 2021.

WILKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE Horticulture Technology Associate in Applied Science				NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY Agricultural Education (Secondary Education) Bachelor of Science					
ENG	111	Writing and Inquiry	3	ENGL	100	Ideas & Their Expressions I	3		
ENG	112	Writing/Research in the Disc	3	ENGL	101	Ideas & Their Expressions II	3		
HUM	110	Technology and Society	3	ENGL	200	Survey of Humanities I	3		
ECO	251	Principles of Economics	3	ECON	200	Principles of Economics - Micro	3		
*HOR	112	Landscape Design	3	*HORT	112T	Landscape Design (This course will be substituted for ANSC 163 - Animal and Lab Animal Science.)	3		
*HOR	235	Greenhouse Production	3	*HORT	235T	Greenhouse Production (This course will be substituted for ANSC 214 Agricultural Genetics.)	3		
*HOR	162	Applied Plant Science	3	*NARS	110	Introduction to Urban and Community Horticulture	3		
*AGR	212	Farm Business Management	3	*ABM	212T	Farm Business Management (This course will be substituted for ABM 330 Applied Economics in Horticulture.)	3		
*HOR	160	Plant Materials I	3	*HORT	160T	Plant Materials I (This course will be substituted for BIOE 114 Home and Farm Maintenance.)	3		
**HOR	164	Hort Pest Management	3	**HORT	164T	Hort Pest Management	3		
**HOR	161	Plant Materials II	3	**HORT	161T	Plant Materials II	3		
*AGR	170	Soil Science	3	*AGRI	170T	Soil Science & Spring Gardening Lab (This course will be substituted for SLMG 200 Soil Science.)	4		
*LSG	122	Spring Gardening Lab	2	*HORT	122T				
**HOR	114	**Landscape Construction	3	**HORT	114	**Horticultural Major Elective	3		
**AGR	139	Intro to Sustainable AG	3	**AGR	139T	Intro to Sustainable AG	3		
**HOR	253	Horticulture Turfgrass	3	**HORT	253T	Horticulture Turfgrass	3		
*HOR	168	Plant Propagation	3	*HORT	334	Plant Propagation	3		
BIO	140	Environmental Biology	3	BIOL	410	Ecology (This course will count as an Agricultural Science Elective.)	3		
			<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>53</b>				<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>52</b>

**\*This course will fulfill an Agricultural Science Elective requirement.**

**\*\*This course will fulfill a Second Major Concentration Elective requirement.**

**REMAINING REQUIRED COURSES TO COMPLETE DEGREE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

***(In addition to any requirements above not fulfilled)***

HIST	106	African-American History to 1877	3	EDPR	210	Culturally Relevant Pedagogy	2
HIST	207	Modern World History	3	EDPR	455	Ed Psych & Class Management	3
PHIL	102	Logic	3	EDPR 410	410	Differentiated Instruction	2
ENVS	201	The Earth's Environment	3	EDPR	420	Content Area Literacy	3
AGED	101	Introduction to Agriscience Education	1	EDPR	498	Clinical Practice II	12
AGED	301	Youth Program Management	3	MATH	101	Fundamentals of Algebra and Trigonometry I	3
AGED	302	Educational Technology in Ag Ed	3	FRST	101	College Success	1
AGED	303	Foundations of Agricultural Education	3	BIOL	100	Introduction to Biological Science	4
AGED	304	Adult Education in Agriscience Education	3	SPED	350	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
AGED	405	Clinical Practice I: Methods of Teaching Agriculture	3				
AGED	407	Overview of Environmental Education	3				
EDPR	102	Introduction to Teacher Education	2			<b>Total Additional Hours</b>	<b>68</b>
EDPR	110	Ethics of Teaching	2			<b>REQUIRED TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR</b>	<b>120</b>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Chancellor of North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University and the President of Wilkes Community College have affixed their signatures below:

**North Carolina A&T State University**

**Wilkes Community College**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ By: \_\_\_\_\_

Dr. Harold L. Martin, Sr., Chancellor Dr. Jeffrey Alan Cox, President

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Wilkes Community College**

**Wilkes Community College**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ By: \_\_\_\_\_

Ronald Dollyhite, Dean – Applied Career Technologies Dr. Yolanda Wilson, Vice President of Instruction

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_